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Big Decision By Wheat Farmers Is Set for Sat.

The ballot which Americans have long used to determine national policies will be used by wheat farmers May 31 to decide an important economic policy. C. H. Young, chairman of the Jones County AAA committee points out. On May 31, the wheat farmers of Jones County will join with wheat farmers throughout the nation in deciding whether or not to have marketing quotas.

The committeeman said that each wheat community in the country will have its polling place, and three local wheat farmers will be in charge of the referendum. They are responsible for posting public notices of the referendum and for seeing that each eligible farmer has the opportunity to cast his vote in secret.

When the voting is concluded, the counting of the ballots will be public. When the Jones County results have been compiled, they will be sent to the State AAA office. National results will be compiled by the Department of Agriculture in Washington, D. C.

All farmers affected by the wheat quota may cast a vote. Young urges each wheat farmer to find out from his community or county committeeman whether he is eligible. If two-thirds of the farmers voting approve, the quota will become effective.

The defense emergency makes the referendum question all the more important," Young said. "While the preparedness program calls for a good-sized reserve, it also needs some provision for handling the large supply so that wheat prices will not be depressed. This is done under quotas by storing the surplus and dividing the available market equitably. Whether this is to be done will be decided by the farmers voting in the referendum May 31st."

Farmers have only to compare the present wheat situation and the 1st World War situation to realize that conditions are radically different, and that some protective measure such as marketing quotas is needed to meet the new problems, says C. H. Young, chairman of the county AAA committee.

From 1917 to 1920 there was a good demand for American wheat,

while today there is neither the demand nor the shipping space for wheat exports from the United States, he explained. Exports have also dwindled in Australia and Canada, where large stocks of wheat have accumulated. Exports from this country will run about 30 to 35 million bushels for the current season, compared to 106 million bushels in 1938-1939 and 240 million in 1915.

The present surpluses in the United States, Canada and Australia also contrast with World War conditions. Young pointed out. At that time neither Argentina, Canada, nor Australia produced as much wheat as they do now and a larger part of the export wheat came from the United States. As a result the wheat reserve in the United States was negligible all through the first world war period. The stock of old wheat which will be on hand here on July 1 will be approximately seven times the size of the 1915 carry-over.

During the World War years the United States boosted its wheat production facilities to meet the war-born demand. Following the war Canada, Argentina, and Australia expanded acreage considerably. Because of smaller markets and increased competition for the remaining world outlets, the available markets will not take all the wheat this country can produce for export.

With the present war shutting off even the limited foreign markets the result has been a record-breaking wheat surplus here, he said, and U. S. farmers need some measure as marketing quotas to divide their remaining market fairly and to provide for safe storage of the surplus until needed.

P. C. Wylie, Secretary
Jones County A. C. A.

IT IS RUBY KATHRYN

Last week the Herald carried the news that Mr. and Mrs. Delma Shelburne had a big fine girl in their home but we did not then know the name . . . so it is Ruby Kathryn, a very pretty name for (we are sure) a very pretty little girl.

Mrs. Shelburne and the little lady arrived in Hamlin Tuesday morning, doing fine.

Orange, Blue Stamps Sold Like Hot Cakes

The novelty of buying Orange Stamps and being given half the value additional in Blue Stamps was quite a novelty to Jones County recipients since May 16th.

The county administration force was in Hamlin Tuesday and did a big business.

This form of dispensing "relief" or aid is so new, not many, even those who participate, fully understand how it is done.

Another thing not quite understood, and that is to see a string of

people paying for foods, some hand out Orange Stamps and a few Blue Stamps, and right by the side of them others hand out silver and paper money.

Information is that Stamps will be on sale in Hamlin every Tuesday of each month.

Notice Board of Equalization

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the court house in the town of Anson, Jones County, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1941, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Jones County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1941, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

(SEAL)
OMA SPRAYBERRY,
County Clerk, Jones County, Texas
May 20, 1941.

IF YOU SAW

The "sign" that your subscription time should be "refreshed"—and still you know you have not renewed . . . don't be surprised if you miss your Hamlin Herald soon.

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Free Estimates

Dr. J. Turner Bynum, Jr. Died In Mineral Wells

Hamlin people were grieved to learn on Friday morning of last week that Dr. Turner Bynum had died in his room in the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells, some time after the previous Wednesday.

The body was brought to Hamlin and the funeral service and burial took place Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Turner Bynum was a fine young physician, admired and loved by all who knew him in this and the surrounding communities. He was born in the Neinda community, July 11, 1902, and assuming his death was May 22, 1941, made his age 38 years, 10 months and 11 days. Turner Bynum was another young man who had won a place in the hearts of Hamlin people, that will continue for a long time to come.

This is true especially in the many homes where he so faithfully and tenderly administered to those needing medical attention.

Little ladies, Mary Lou Maberry and Patricia Rector, Mary Ann McCollum and Bonnie Beth Jones did their part in the program of entertainment.

Rev. Ottenger introduced the program, after expressing his delight in having the clubs as their guests.

Supt. Connell of Anson was the chief speaker and made an outstanding and timely talk.

Rotarians-Lions Went McCaulley, Tues. Nite

The hospitable people of the McCaulley Methodist Church were hosts to a large number of Lions and Rotarians and their wives, on Tuesday night of this week.

This joint meeting at McCaulley served for their regular meetings.

The ladies of the church had a sumptuous plate ready and everybody had a good time.

During the banquet President Roosevelt's speech came on and this served to attract close attention from most of the crowd.

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The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the First Baptist church in McCaulley, conducted by the Rev. Ottenger, pastor of the McCaulley Methodist church.

Burial was in the McCaulley cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Directors of Hamlin.

Mrs. J. T. Lewis Died Monday, 26th

Mrs. J. T. Lewis died Monday, May 26, in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Birdie Wright in East Hamlin, following an illness of only a few days. Mrs. Lewis was 81 years of age and had been a member of the Methodist church for 70 years.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Birdie Wright and Mrs. Willie Madden and three sons, John, Jess, and Ed Lewis. There are twenty-two grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. All of them visited her during her illness and were present for the funeral.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the First Baptist church in McCaulley, conducted by the Rev. Ottenger, pastor of the McCaulley Methodist church.

Burial was in the McCaulley cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Directors of Hamlin.

Mrs. R. E. Nail

Mrs. R. E. Nail died at her home in the eastern edge of Hamlin on May 15, following a lingering illness.

Mrs. Nail was a native of Trustville, Alabama, born September 23, 1880, and would have been 61 years of age, next birthday.

She was married to R. E. Nail at Albertville, Alabama and the family came to Texas in 1919 and to the Hamlin community in 1936. She is survived by the husband and one daughter, Miss Allie B. Nail, who had been at home with her parents the past three months. Also one brother, survives, W. S. Truss of Tracy, California.

Mrs. Nail was a member of the Baptist church at Oceola, Hill Co. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. E. East in the Hamlin Baptist church, on Friday, May 16.

Interment was in East Cemetery, in charge of Barrow Funeral Directors.

Relatives present for the funeral were a niece, Mrs. H. H. Cunningham and a nephew, W. W. Grubb, both of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hopper, former neighbors of the family, came up from Stephenville.

Two Hamlin Students Graduate From H-S U

Those from Hamlin graduating this year from Hardin-Simmons University are Opal Dunn and Lester Morton.

Opal, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dunn, is receiving her bachelor of science degree with a major in Home Economics. She is a member of Home Ec Club, Social Science, Science and Physical Education clubs.

Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morton, is receiving his bachelor of science degree, with a major in Physical Education. He is a member of Physical Education, A Capella, Male Quartet and vice-president of Ferguson Hall Council.

Summer School Opens Monday

All pupils interested in extra credits during the summer, meet at the High school Monday, June 2nd. Pupils who need an extra credit or who need to raise a low grade are urged to be present. Length of classes will be one hour each day.

HUBERT MORTON, Principal

Notice to Girls

Any adults or girls out of school interested in a 2 or 3 weeks' course in clothing and sewing problems, call the High school by June 1st.

CAMILLE SMYERS

Cecil Sellers returns to Burbank California, this Friday to resume his job in the Lockheed Air Craft factory. He had been at home two weeks. Cecil has been with the plant six months. Cecil can tell you a lot about the construction of Hudson Bombers, and the YP-38, the interceptor speedy planes that make up around 400 or 500 miles per. Cecil's job is riveting.

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Funeral services were held at the Hamlin Methodist church Saturday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell and Rev. Henard E. East of the Baptist church.

The pallbearers were Mac Brundage, Holly Toler, Perry Sparks, Joe Culbertson, Nash Miers, John Ed Day, Frank Waggoner and Starr Inzer.

The Barrow Funeral Service had charge of the body and interment

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THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

The President Has Spoken

All over the world millions of people are commenting on the words of the Tuesday night speech of the President of the United States.

Millions heard that speech. Other millions could have heard it, but because of a dulled spirit of indifference or perhaps lack of realization of its importance to civilization, refused to listen.

Again there were other millions in Germany, Italy, and a dozen crushed nations who were refused the privilege of turning on their own radios even if they desired to listen. To allow those millions a chance to hear the "Voice of Liberty" would have been against the plans of the dictators, murderers and national rapists.

If you failed or refused to hear the voice that speaks for this United States and 20 other independent republics and Canada in the Western hemisphere, you still can read it and ponder on whether or not each word and sentence has good common, timely sense in it.

Perhaps, to those who keep up with world affairs, there was nothing especially new expressed in Mr. Roosevelt's speech. He earnestly and simply laid a situation before the people of this hemisphere again, that they may understand that this nation

does not propose to sit calmly on the side lines and see all the things that built a great free nation, cast into the furnace of Hitler's hell.

Mr. Roosevelt charted a course in that speech that the mass of American peoples back up perhaps 100 per cent. Did you like what he said? If not read his speech again and pick out each and every statement that was untrue or unsound. No American can be "unbiased" in the game that the Hitlerites are playing. You have no choice—either you are for the United States or you are for those who would destroy all liberty in the world, as we know liberty, honor and Christian civilization. There is now no longer a middle ground . . . the game is on, which side do you hope to win? Maybe it DOES make a difference to each of us which side wins.

The President has declared by proclamation that "an unlimited national emergency exists." That places every individual on the spot. That declaration is but the voice of our constitutional government and from every corner of this nation patriotic men and women will be found responding to that call, by word and deed.

But everybody does not agree with our "National policy". It is your privilege in this unlimited nation of freedom to get out and slander the President, the loyalty of congressmen or refuse to say or do. Take your choice. No arrests will be made. There is no Gestapo to throw you in prison. Print and mail what

you please. The good old USA mails will take your message. It is up to every American as to what he shall do. There is only one thing any person in America may fear, and that is PUBLIC sentiment.

Letter From A Hamlin Marine

San Diego, California,
May 24, 1941

Dear Fellows:

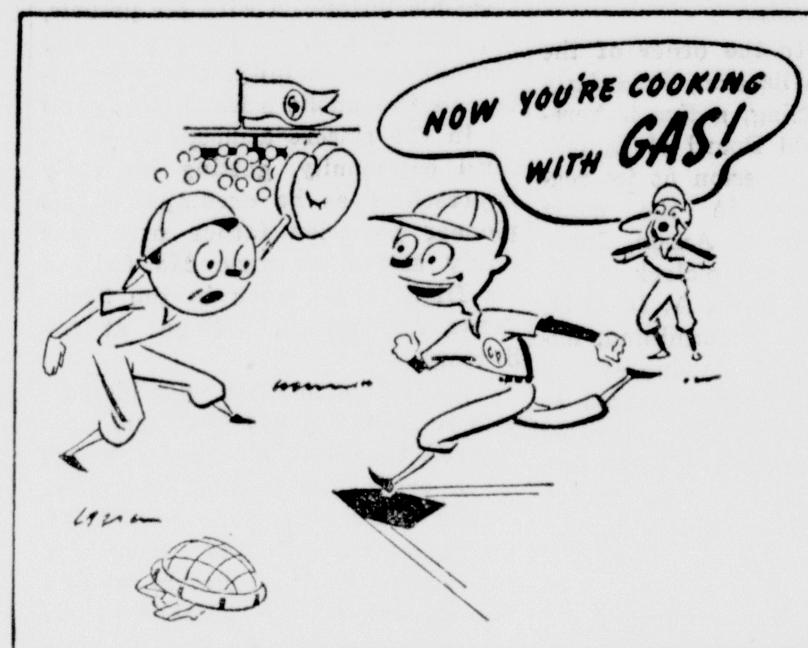
Just a line or two from one of Uncle Sam's Saltiest sailors, your old pal, Bill Norris. Might start off by saying I joined the Navy to be a sailor and sail the seven seas but What Ho! they gave me duty with the Marines and that, my friends, is just like putting a cat in a cage with a bunch of dogs. There is nothing wrong with the Marines, understand, but I won't say there is anything good either!

They make me march and hike so much my feet sing me to sleep when I go to bed at night. I get my revenge though when we hold sick call every day. It is nothing unusual to give a fellow castor oil for treatment for blistered feet. There are so many air planes buzzing around over head all the time that a fellow has to wear ear phones to carry on a conversation. I have a crick in my neck now from dodging the low flying ones. With all my troubles though, it's a great life and I think

"Now You're Cooking With Gas"

has been publicized often on a nation-wide basis by comic strips and many top-flight radio comedians. But few who have heard the slogan know where it originated.

The expression is an old one used by vaudeville and theatrical people to indicate when they had "arrived" or when they had become established as leaders in their profession. In other words, "Now You're Cooking With Gas" meant the performer was appearing in communities where gas, instead of coal or wood, was used for cooking.

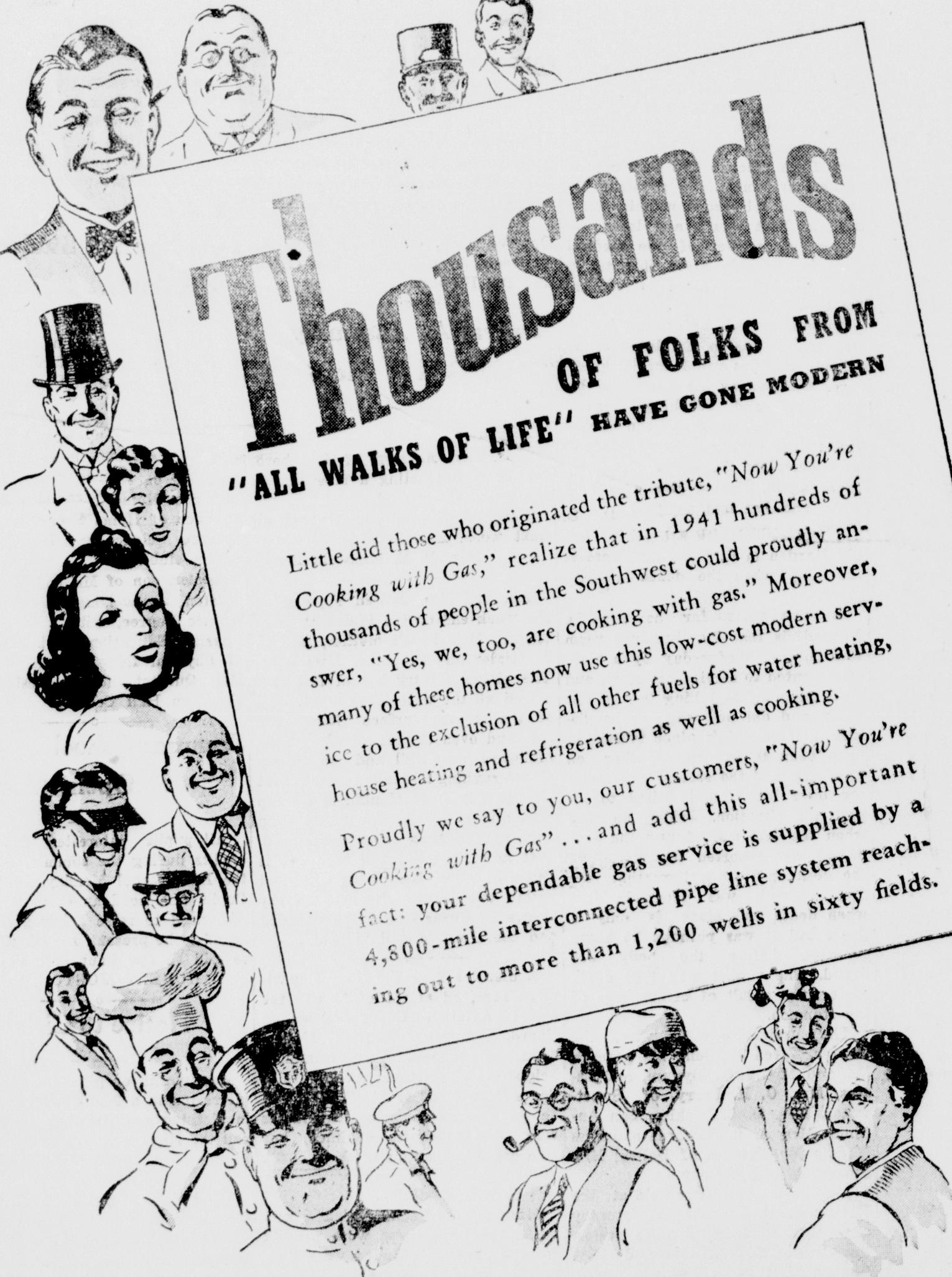


Thousands

"ALL WALKS OF LIFE" HAVE GONE MODERN

Little did those who originated the tribute, "Now You're Cooking with Gas," realize that in 1941 hundreds of thousands of people in the Southwest could proudly answer, "Yes, we, too, are cooking with gas." Moreover, many of these homes now use this low-cost modern service to the exclusion of all other fuels for water heating, house heating and refrigeration as well as cooking.

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Glendale 14 OZ Catsup	12c	Clover Farm Corn Flakes	19c
Clover Farm Spaghetti 2 cans	19c	Clover Farm Jell pkg	5c
JELLO Freezing Mix	10c	Large Size Lava Soap bar	10c
Clover Farm Pork & Beans	10c	Soda Crackers 2 lb box	13c
Louisiana New Potatoes 5 lbs	15c	Texas Tomatoes 2 lbs	15c
Green Cabbage 1 lb	2c	Fancy Winesap Apples doz	15c
Armour's Star Bacon 1 lb	32c	Bologna lb	12c
Clover Farm Margarine 1 lb	17c	Round Steak lb	33c
Colorado SPUDS 10 lbs	17c	Bananas ea	1c

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Card of Thanks

We are very grateful to our friends for their many acts of kindness and love shown us in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. J. Turner Bynum, Jr.
Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Bynum
and family

Card of Thanks

I am going to be promoted to Chief in either July or August. At the present I am in charge of the Dispensary here at Camp Elliott, some 15 miles from San Diego. There are 5000 Marines here in training. This is really an ideal place for training; the weather is nice and cool and our food is the best. We only work a half day and get paid a dollar extra for doing duty here at the Camp. I have gained 27 pounds since I've been here and am afraid they will transfer me away from here before they have to issue me some more clothes that will fit me. Well, I hear the Liberty Call, so guess I had better stop and go ashore. Give my regards to all my friends, and you "gals" down there, how about dropping ole Bill a line, won't you?

Respectfully,

BILL NORRIS

P. S.—Have they drafted Tate May yet?

Hello, Bill. You did not give the "gals" your address. They will not want to ask the Herald.

Card of Thanks

Dear friends, we do not have words to express to you our thanks. You, who so thoughtfully stood by us in our sorrow when death took our beloved wife, mother and aunt, may the Father above bestow upon each and every one of you His richest blessings, is our prayer.

Mr. R. E. Nail and Daughter,
Mrs. H. H. Cunningham, niece,
Fort Worth, Texas,
Mr. William Grubbs, Fort Worth.

We are truly grateful to our friends for their loving kindness and sympathy shown us in so many ways when death claimed our dear husband and brother.

Mrs. W. A. Riddle, Abilene
and His Brothers and Sisters

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to our friends for their kindness during the illness and at the death of our mother and grandmother.

We wish you many of God's richest blessings.

Mrs. Birdie Wright and family
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Madden
and family
Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis
and family
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lewis
and family
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lewis
and family

The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious. — Martin Luther.

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Colonel Ernest O. Thompson Delivered A Snappy Speech

(Address of Colonel Ernest O. Thompson, Commanding Officer, 11th Q. M. Regiment and Division Quartermaster, 36th Division, Camp Bowie, Texas, at Mineral Wells, Texas, Before West Texas Chamber of Commerce on May 16th.)

You hear a lot of people talking about what is to happen after the War—They call it post war economics.

There won't be any post war business for us if we don't get busy. We will be slaves to a war-mad Hitler who has already enslaved the Continental Democracies of Europe.

While we were refusing to arm even for defense, Hitler spent 90 billion dollars in seven years on war preparations—just getting ready. Now, he has the entire productive capacity of Europe working on forced labor to whip England and we will be next if England falls.

I believe all fair minded people agree that we must get ready to fight.

But the point is we should really go to work at it. Not just talk about what the other fellow is doing for defense. Don't go A. W. O. L.

Hitler is now spending 3 billion dollars a month on arms. His own industries in Germany are geared up for war production and highly integrated for one purpose—War.

Besides this, he is drawing heavily upon the production of France, Belgium, Holland, Norway, Poland, Czechoslovakia and Italy.

He has in his undisputed control their pre-war accumulations, their raw materials and all their productive capacities.

Also he has the vast stores of military supplies we sent to France before her fall and also the guns and materials that the British abandoned at Dunkerque and in Greece.

Hitler is in full speed. America is not yet in gear. Yes, we haven't even ranked up.

It's time we really woke up! We need guns and tanks and ships and anti-tank guns and anti-aircraft guns.

At Camp Bowie we are using fire crackers to simulate or make out like gun fire.

This is no time for Industry or Labor to go A. W. O. L.

You know that's the good old Army term meaning absent from duty without leave.

In the present emergency there is no time for arguments.

You cannot buy yesterdays.

In the Army camps a million men are working from daylight till dark learning how to fight and there is no complaint. There are no arguments.

The Army—the men who make it—are thoroughly awake to the needs of the day—they are ready to do our part.

They are doing their part.

These boys are marching ten—fifteen, twenty, yes thirty miles a day on foot carrying a rifle and a 40-pound pack fighting training battles all over Texas. They feel they are doing their part. They are

present for duty.

The pay is \$30.00 per month. There are no strikes. There is no bickering. These Americans are not A. W. O. L.

These men are doing their duty every day.

Many nights after a hard day's fighting over hills and valleys they are routed out for a further advance or a long march to a near position under cover of darkness.

They do not fall out or complain.

There are no sit down strikes or even any thought of such a thing. That's not the American Way of Life.—A. W. O. L.

These boys in cotton khaki are looking to the beautiful folds of Old Glory and are inspired by the thought of duty to their country.

They ask: "Breathes there a man with soul so dead who never hath to himself said: 'This is my own, my native land?'"

I believe the American Way of Life is worth fighting for. Yes, dying for, if need be.

According to the Associated Press report of Wednesday Secretary of the Navy Knox, in his address before the American Society of Military Engineers Monday night said: "There were only three possible courses awaiting the United States:

1. To face an aggressor with force.

2. To become isolated from the rest of the world, or

3. To surrender."

Then he added, "We won't surrender." All America is waiting for the word to go forward—we've made our choice.

Thus did Secretary Knox outline the position of our country.

Then on top of that statement we receive the startling word that Hitler's man Friday, Hess, dropping from the sky on Scotland, scurrying like a rat from a scuttled ship.

Churchill characterized this act as "the worm is beginning to eat the core of the apple."

Surely things are beginning to take a turn for the better.

The hope of the world lies in the heart of America.

Right now the heart of America is in the training camps where a million, two hundred thousand young men are giving their minds and their muscle and all their time to the sole endeavor of learning how to defend themselves, their families and their country.

The first law of nature is to defend itself.

This leads with civilization to defense of the family which is the foundation of the nation.

We want our mothers, our sisters and our children defended. We want our homes protected. We want the American Way of Life handed down as long as time rolls on.

That is the all absorbing, all consuming question of today.

Everything else must be put to one side until the liberty and freedom of our people is again made secure.

This will take sacrifice. It will mean inconvenience. It will mean giving up ease and comforts for a

while.

Our people will not be found wanting.

France forgot the spirit of sacrifice—France went in for the easy, pleasure-loving life and she lost her freedom.

The former proud Frenchmen are now slaves.

All of you remember when it was said the French Army was invincible. Some experts called the French the best in the world.

You saw it fold before the rush of the German Blitzkrieg within a few days.

The country behind the French Army had no spirit.

The people were afraid. When fear enters the hearts of a people, they are lost.

The determination of an Army to win comes from the homes of a nation.

The American people don't want our aid to Britain sent to the bottom of the sea.

If it takes battleships to get it there, the people, I believe, want battleships to see this aid to Britain get safely to the place we intend it to go.

A short time back our first line of defense was on the Rhine. Now our first line of defense is the brave little isle of England.

America can give her the courage to keep fighting with her back to the wall if we let the world know that we truly mean what we say when we state we are all out to defend Democracy.

It's put up or shut up.

If we don't help England now, we will have to fight alone later and in my opinion very soon.

Let us not discover too late that Faith and Courage cannot make human flesh and bone superior to Stukas and tanks.

In this age of machine warfare, the old cry of the pacifists "that a million men would spring up over night" is no longer good. It was in fact always the bunk. Armies don't spring up over night.

We have always had difficulty in getting armies together due to the parsimonious attitude of always squeezing down our Army at the end of every war and refusing to profit by the recommendations of our military men of the past.

It has been difficult even to get R. O. T. C. units established in our high schools and colleges in the big way that was planned.

The result is that thousands upon thousands of young men who could have been trained already as good officers and instructors have to be instructed in the most elemental things military.

The picture on this point though is not all bad. For example, there are 110,000 reserve officers on the list already for call as needed and 38,000 of them are already in service.

Then this June, next month, 8,000 graduates of military schools and colleges with R. O. T. C. courses will be commissioned and called to the colors upon graduation.

The added interest in this fine work on account of the Selective Act will doubtless greatly increase this number before another year rolls around.

Then, there will be a large number of enlisted men sent to officers' schools.

Today Germany is apparently in a better position from an oil standpoint than at any time since the beginning of hostilities 20 months ago.

She has her synthetic plants plus the Rumanian fields and refineries and transportation system plus the Albanian supply and it seems plain that Hitler's latest thrust is into the Near East where 15 per cent of the world's oil production now originates await development. This region I refer to is Iran and Iraq down both sides of the Persian Gulf and Westward to Egypt.

This area could easily supply all Europe's requirements.

Already it is reported the oil pipe line from Iraq to Haifa approximates 4,000,000 tons per year from Iraq—10,000,000 tons output of Iran.

Since the last World War the petroleum discovered reserves of the U. S. have jumped from 5,900,000,000 BBL to 19,000,000,000 BBL.

With new discoveries constantly being made the U. S. has one half of the known discovered oil reserves of the entire world.

The U. S. alone could adequately and easily and promptly take care of all the oil needs of the U. S. and Great Britain even in war with 50,000 war planes in the air and a two ocean navy on the seas, all

fighting.

This extra oil and gasoline demand can and will be met without interference with civilian use of oil and gasoline. There will be no need for gasolineless days. Texas alone could supply the needed oil by simply taking off some of the nine shutdown days we now employ to keep from producing more oil than we can possibly use.

This month we are keeping all Texas oil wells shut in 9 days.

The allowed production per day when we do produce is 1,199,750 barrels. Nine times that is 10,797,000 barrels.

Then, besides all that, there lies just south of us in Mexico and Venezuela and Columbia an additional huge oil supply.

CORRECTION

Through an error on the part of the Herald in last week's issue, Mrs. Thomas Ferguson's name was omitted from the house party of the tea honoring Miss Elmo Joy Wilson.

We regret such errors and are always glad to make corrections.

J. W. Bevels and son, C. L. Bevels, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, are spending several days here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jennie C. Green returned Thursday from Slaton where she had spent five weeks with her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Kent.

FERGUSON THEATRE

ADMISSION—10 & 30c

Hamlin, Texas,

Friday Night

"Buck Privates"

A riot of music and laughter, as Abbott and Costello become units in Uncle Sam's great draft army—and nearly upset the whole defense program.

With LEE BOWMAN
ALAN CURTIS

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And LOU COSTELLO

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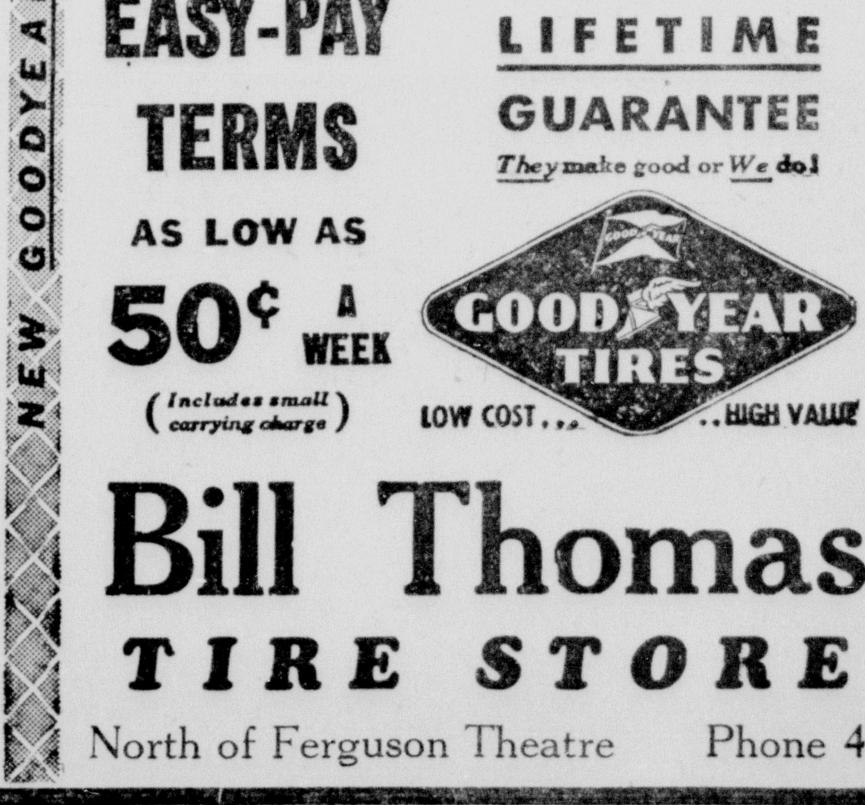
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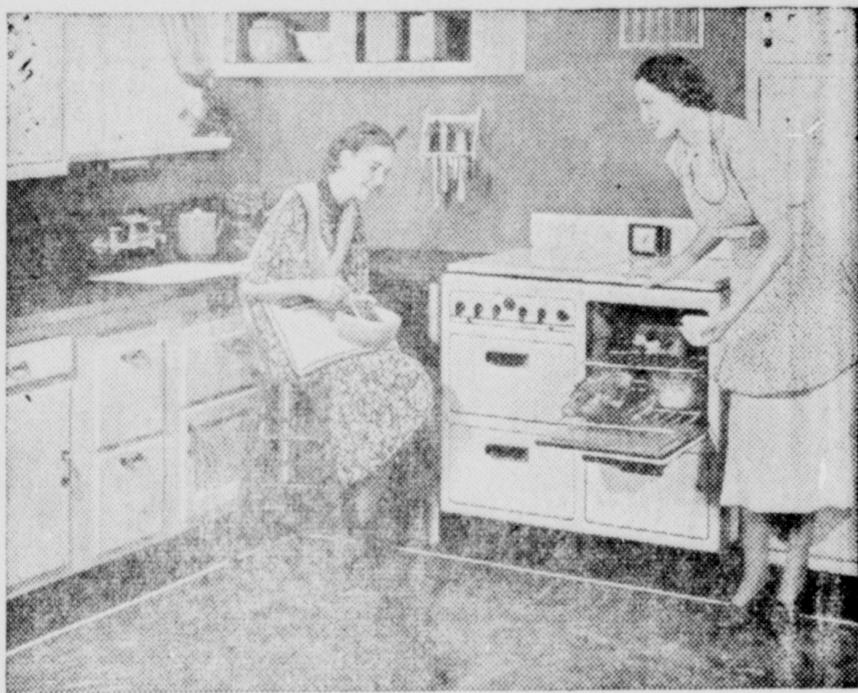
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WANTS IT PROVED

Mose was in trouble again, and the sheriff asked him if he were guilty or not guilty.

"Guilty, suh, I think," replied Mose, "but I'd rather be tried to make sure of it."

The world generally gives its admiration not to the man who does what nobody else ever attempts to do, but to the one who does best what multitudes do well.

—Macaulay.

He is happy whose circumstances suit his temper; but he is more excellent who can suit his temper to any circumstances.—Hume.

The Herald is worth more than \$1.00 per year.

View Farm-Ranch Problems



CONG. LYNDON JOHNSON, hard-hitting and fast moving candidate for the United States senate, wasn't too busy in a 2,500-mile campaign swing last week to stop for a chat with A. S. Broksaw of Carlsbad, prominent Tom Green county stock farmer. Together they discussed Johnson's stand for all-out support of Pres. Roosevelt and his pledge to the farmers of Texas to work as senator for full parity prices on farm products and electricity for all Texas farmers and ranchmen.

Another Hamlin Boy In U. S. Navy Service

Bunyan Payne, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Payne, route four, Hamlin, Texas, was enlisted at the Navy Recruiting Station, Dallas, Texas, Saturday, May 24, as an apprentice seaman in the regular navy, and transferred to the U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, Calif., where he will receive recruit training before further transfer to a Navy trade school or ship of the fleet.

Navy recruiters in the post office building at Abilene where Bunyan passed a preliminary examination for enlistment, stated today that men considering military service now have an opportunity to enlist in the regular navy for a career and retirement at an early age, or in the naval reserve for immediate active duty followed by release from active duty as soon after the emergency as their services can be spared.

Men between the ages of 17 and 36 are now being enlisted in the naval reserve for training in naval schools for aviation, radio, signals, metalsmithing, electricity, carpentry, clerical work and other trades

and professions. Skilled men up to 50 years of age may enlist in rating their trade qualifies them to fill and at pay ranging from \$60.00 to \$99 per month, plus board, lodging, medical and dental expenses and opportunities for promotion. Regular navy enlistment ages are from 17 to 35. Applications of those living in this district should be made at the Navy Recruiting Station at Abilene.

Kurt Schoemann attended a big shoe convention in Dallas Monday. He accompanied Otto Berlin, who had been visiting in Hamlin.

HAD HELP

Teacher (looking over Teddy's homework)—I don't see how it's possible for a single person to make so many mistakes.

Teddy (proudly). —It isn't my single person, teacher. My Father helped me.—Selected.

Who makes quick use of the moment is a genius of prudence.

—Lavater

TWO DEFINITIONS

Woman—A person who can hurry through an aisle 18 inches wide without knocking down piled-up tins, then drive home and knock the doors off a 12-foot garage.

Man—A guy who can see an ankle three blocks away while driving a car down a busy street, but won't notice in wide open country a locomotive the size of a school house.

—Santa Fe Magazine

Little Tommy had spent his first day in school. Mother was anxious to know how he had got on.

"What did you learn, dear?" she asked.

"Didn't learn nothin'" came the reply.

"Well, then what did you do?"

"Didn't do nothin'. A woman wanted to know how to spell 'dog', an' I told 'er; that's all."

The best portion of a good man's life is his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.

—Wordsworth

Mrs. Harvey Austin and children Jane and John Harvey of Lubbock are spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Dickey and family.

Mrs. Harry C. Dodson and little daughter, Barbara Jean, are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Alexander in Burkhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hawkins and children, J. Fred and Bobbie, left Wednesday for Beaumont where they will reside the next few months.

Mrs. Bud Autrey and children of Marietta, Okla., have been visiting Mrs. Autrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Price the past week. Mrs. Price has gone to Marietta for a short visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones left Tuesday for Pearl, Texas, to visit their father, R. F. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shook. Mr. Jones was 87 years of age last Saturday.

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Miss Geneva Albritton Entertained With Announcement Party

Mrs. W. A. Albritton entertained Saturday afternoon with a tea announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Geneva Albritton to Leon Thurman. Miss Albritton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Albritton of Hamlin and Mr. Thurman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thurman of Anson.

Guests were received at the door by Mrs. Tate May. Mrs. Weldon Johnson presided at the miniature rustic wishing well from which were drawn cards announcing the wedding date as June 7. The table on which the wishing well stood was arranged as a typical woodland scene with moss and small flowers around the well. Love birds were perched on the arch of the well and vines were entwined about it.

The guests were then received by the hostess, who presented the honoree. Others in the receiving line were Miss Elmo Joy Wilson, bride-elect of Jno. D. Ferguson; Mrs. J. Henry Littleton, Abilene; and Mrs.

Mrs. O. Beck, Snyder a recent bride. Mrs. Arlie Cassle directed the guests to the dining room where Mrs. J. W. Ezell poured punch. Others assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Henry Albritton and Miss Nadine Morgan. Misses Camille Smyers and Clydene Wilson directed the guests to the bride's book presided over by Mrs. L. H. Campbell and Miss Pauline Harrell. Good-byes were said by Mrs. C. C. Prater. Mrs. W. C. Russell and Mrs. Joe McCrary furnished music throughout the afternoon.

The dining room appointments were in white—the table being laid with a white Italian cut work cloth. White gladioluses in flat crystal bowls were at each end of the table. The crystal punch bowl was surrounded by a wreath of lilies and Queen Anne's lace, in which love birds were nestled. On the buffet

were Madonna lilies.

Attractive arrangements of spring flowers were used in the living room and other reception rooms.

The wedding will be at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. H. E. East reading the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Anson.

Contributed

Mrs. J. A. Jackson

Hostess to Club

The McCaulley Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Jackson May 21st.

Mrs. Fred Parker of Roby gave a book review, "The Yearling" by Marjorie Rawlings and it was enjoyed by all.

There were twelve regular members and the visitors included Mrs. Fred Parker and sister, Miss Jewell Hipp and Miss Smith from Roby; Mrs. Ramon Tanner of Dumas, Mrs. H. P. Powers, Mrs. W. H. Pickron, Mrs. Welborne Jackson, Mrs. Fred Hemphill of McCaulley,

Mrs. Jackson served dainty refreshments.

Breakfast Honoring

Bride and Brides Elect

At the home of Mrs. Q Martin Thursday morning at six-thirty, Mrs. J. L. Carruthers of Monroe, La., and Mrs. Martin were co-hostesses at a breakfast honoring a recent bride, Mrs. James O. Beck, and two brides elect, Miss Geneva Albritton, and Miss Elmo Joy Wilson.

The house was beautifully decorated in spring flowers, with a bridal scene in white as a dining table decoration.

The quartet tables were laid with Maderia silver and crystal, centered with small bowls of sweet peas in pastel colors.

At the honorees' places were attractively tied gifts, after the opening of which a two course breakfast

was served consisting of fresh pineapple appetizer, Canadian bacon, scrambled eggs, hot rolls, strawberry preserves and coffee.

Invited guests were Misses Camille Smyers, Clydene Wilson, Elsie Wienke, Pauline Harrell of Sweetwater, Mmes. Don Dean, E. M. Wilson, W. A. Albritton, Clyde Wilson, Henry Albritton, Thomas Ferguson, J. D. Greenway of Ft. Stockton, the honorees, and hostesses.

Miss Elmo Joy Wilson Gift Tea Honoree

Miss Elmo Joy Wilson, bride-elect of John D. Ferguson, was honored with a lovely Gift Tea, Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Q Martin on Central Avenue. Hostesses for the affair were Miss Elsie Wienke, Mrs. Gordon Bennett, Mrs. James Beck, Mrs. Weldon Johnson, Miss Clydene Wilson, Miss Pauline Harrell and Miss Camille Smyers.

Spring flowers were used throughout the reception rooms. The bridal theme was observed in the decorations of the tea table, which was laid with a white cut work cloth, and centered with an arrangement of Madonna lilies and lilies of the valley in a crystal bowl, flanked by tall white tapers. A three tiered wedding cake centered the buffet and white candles burned at each end.

Mrs. Q Martin greeted guests at the door and directed them to the receiving line headed by Miss Elsie Wienke who presented the honoree, Miss Elmo Joy Wilson and her mother, Mrs. E. M. Wilson. Others receiving were Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, Miss Geneva Albritton and Mrs. James Beck.

Mrs. J. D. Greenway invited into the dining room where Mrs. Gordon Bennett and Mrs. M. Y. Wilson poured punch. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Weldon Johnson, Miss Clydene Wilson, and Miss Camille Smyers.

A color theme of green and white was emphasized in the tea dainties, and favors which were tiny white net bags of rice tied with green satin ribbons and tiny white flower sprays.

Miss Mary Beth Moody directed to the room where gifts were displayed, with Mrs. M. C. Wilson and Miss Pauline Harrell receiving.

Mrs. Frank Waggoner was at the register and Mrs. Henry Albritton had charge of the music. Goodbyes were said by Miss Edwina Gilbert.

Fisher Co. Women

Learning to Work

Merle Williams, clothing demonstrator for the Hitson 4-H Club, enjoys sewing. Merle has made a dress, slip, apron, cup towels, pillow cases, pot lifters, and makes the dresses for her little sisters. To repair her clothes closet, Merle will add a substantial rod, make shoe rack and hat stands and place in it, and then will paper it white on the inside.

"I will go over all of my clothes and repair them, and then plan the clothing I will need for the remainder of the year. Every time I buy some clothes, I will keep a record of the cost, and the date purchased. My sewing box is equipped, and I will check D-105, 'Good Looks for Girls,' every day," said Merle.

Fisher County has been allotted 9 4-H club girls and one sponsor to attend the Junior short course at A & M College, College Station, on July 17 and 18th. The allotment was based on the number of clubs in the county and enrolled membership in same. The girls to attend will be selected at Rally Day, June 18 at Roby.

"I plan to remodel my bedroom as well as my clothes closet," said Mary Ann King, clothing demonstrator for the Sylvester 4-H Club. "Three shelves will be placed down one side of the closet for folder garments, a substantial rod added, a shoe rack added and hat stands will we made and placed in the closet, and the inside of the closet will be painted ivory," she continued.

Mary Ann with the help of her father, has made a dressing table from orange crates, will make a curtain or skirt to place around it, and will hang a mirror over it. It will be very attractive and useful when it is completed. New curtains, bedspread, and pictures will be added to the room, and the furniture will be refinished.

Mary Ann has already made a sewing box, slip, pajamas, apron, cup towel, pot lifter, and has the material for her dress. She will keep accurate records of everything she makes and the money she spends.

"We have two frame gardens at home, and my grandmother is going to let me plant and care for one of them," explained Polly Hill, home food supply demonstrator for the Hitson 4-H Club. "I will also have a field garden in which I will raise tomatoes, melons, cantaloupes, beans, peas, and other vegetables for the use of my family. If there is a surplus of any of the vegetables, I will can them later in the year," she continued.

Polly will organize the pantry so that canned products can be found easily; prepare and serve dishes of tomatoes, fruits, and vegetables; set the table correctly; and will keep accurate records of her club work. Polly plans to attend Rally Day on June 18 at Roby.

Mrs. W. C. Burns, son and daughter, Sid Burns and Miss Ola Burns of Dallas came Sunday to visit Mrs. A. G. Hudson and others. They were accompanied by a Miss Williams. Mrs. Burns will visit with her sister several weeks.

Mildred Barrow and Gloria Stewart of Hamlin, were among the 150 graduating seniors at John Tarleton College this year. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barrow and son Bobby attended the graduating exercises which was held at Tarleton on Sunday, May 25.

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Mrs. J. A. Wilhite and little daughter, Kay Sharon, returned to their home in Harlingen Friday after a visit here with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee.

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We had 324 in Sunday school last Sunday—a slight increase over the Sunday before. Our goal is 350 for this coming Sunday. Every Baptist should be in his place in the Sunday school.

Another baptismal service will be conducted Sunday night. Those who are candidates for baptism should note this announcement, along with all who desire to see this beautiful ordinance. Let's all be in church somewhere this coming Sunday.

Sunday School, 9:45. Morning Worship, 11:00. Training Union, 7:00. Evening Worship, 8:00. W. M. S., 2:30 Monday. G. A.; R. A.; Sunbeams, 4:00 P. M. Monday.

Prayer Meeting, 7:45 Wednesday. Choir rehearsal, 8:45 Wednesday. H. E. EAST, Pastor

Morris Jeffries, Grammar school Coach and teacher of History and Civics, left Tuesday for his home in Ranger, where he will remain till June 21, when he will start his army training. Just where he will be sent is not yet known, if he passes. Mr. Jeffries was called five months ago, but owing to his teaching, was placed on the deferred list. In case Mr. Jeffries does not pass the army test, he will likely return to Hamlin for next term. In case he gets the army training, he promises to write letters to the Herald so his students and friends here will know all about his life in the army.

Miss Georgia Moore returned to her home in Abilene, and on June 16 she will enter McMurry for six weeks of summer work.

Mrs. P. E. Mayhew will enter McMurry for a six weeks course on June 16th.

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